

March 11.

**WATER FRONT ITEMS.****Many Vessels Now Getting Ready for Spring Fishing.****Seiners, Bankers, and Georgesmen Will Soon Be Sailing.**

Things are looking quite lively along the water front just now. Many vessels are fitting out and getting ready for spring voyages and riggers, painters and carpenters are busy.

Capt. Vincent Nelson is fitting sch. Senator Gardner for salt banking.

Capt. Angus Hines will soon fit sch. Annie M. Parker for dory handling and she will be the first of this fleet to get away.

Capt. William Gould will soon fit sch. Lawrence Murdoch for Georges handling.

Capt. Thomas Flannagan will now fit sch. Georges Campbell for salt banking.

Capt. Frank Viator will now fit sch. Hortense for Georges trawling.

Capt. Solomon Jacobs is getting sch. A. M. Nicholson ready for south seining and the sails are being bent today.

Capt. John F. Vautier's crew are beginning to fit out sch. Monarch today for south seining.

Capt. Alex. McEachern is fitting sch. Maggie and May for salt banking.

Capt. John McInnis will arrive here March 17 to fit sch. Aloha for south mackerel seining.

Capt. Michael Gerry is fitting sch. Cecil H. Low for Georges handling.

Sch. Joseph P. Johnson of Provincetown is at this port to fit for trawling.

Sch. Vera is fitting for Georges halibuting under command of Capt. Martin Gracia.

Capt. Alfred Johnson will fit sch. Claudia for Georges halibuting, when she returns from her Georges handling trip.

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**LARGEST OF THE SEASON.****Georges Haddockers at Boston with Monster Fares.****Three Vessels Land Over 100,000 Pounds of Fresh Fish Each.**

The largest trips of the winter are T wharf, Boston, this morning. Sch. Catherine and Ellen, Capt. Brophy, has 120,000 pounds of haddock and cod and sch. Cynthia, Capt. Geoffrey Thomas, and sch. Francis J. O'Hara, Jr., have 105,000 pounds each. Sch. Yakima, Capt. Robert Wharton, has 75,000 pounds and sch. Frances Whalen, Capt. Larry Norris, has 80,000 pounds, the trip of the latter being about all hake, cusk and pollock.

Capt. Norris has a hake spot off the northern edge of Georges which he works to big advantage all winter. He has made a big record and has earned the new craft which is soon to be built for him and which will be the longest fishing craft afloat.

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**DURING 1907.**

July.

Large receipts of Cape Shore mackerel, aggregating 4655 bbls. salt mackerel and 2685 bbls. fresh mackerel valued at over \$40,000.

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**DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.****Today's Fish Market.**

Bank halibut, 10 cts. per lb. for white and 8 cts. for gray.

Newfoundland frozen herring, for bait, \$2 to \$3 per hundred weight.

Splitting prices, large fresh cod, \$2 per cwt.; medium do., \$1.50; haddock, \$1.00; hake, 90 cts; cusk, \$1.50; pollock, 75 cts.

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**Boston.**

Sch. Mattie D. Brundage, 3500 haddock, 1000 cod, 500 hake.

Sch. Annie Perry, 10,000 haddock, 1000 cod, 500 hake.

Sch. Pontiac, 30,000 haddock, 2500 cod.

Sch. Catherine and Ellen, 100,000 haddock, 20,000 cod.

Sch. Francis J. O'Hara, Jr., 80,000 haddock, 25,000 cod.

Sch. Frances Whalen, 5000 cod, 50,000 hake, 15,000 cusk, 10,000 pollock, 1000 halibut.

Sch. Helen B. Thomas, 4000 haddock, 1000 cod, 2000 hake.

Sch. Valentina, 8000 cod.

Sch. Maud F. Silva, 8000 haddock, 2000 cod.

Sch. Rebecca, 9000 haddock, 2000 cod, 1000 hake.

Sch. William A. Morse, 15,000 haddock, 3000 cod.

Sch. Mabel Bryson, 10,000 cod.

Sch. Arbitrator, 11,000 haddock, 5000 cod, 2000 hake.

Sch. Oliver F. Hutchins, 10,000 haddock, 500 cod.

Sch. Annie and Jennie, 5000 haddock, 6000 cod.

Sch. Reliance, 3000 cod.

Sch. Genesta, 8000 haddock, 2000 cod.

Sch. Yakima, 60,000 haddock, 15,000 cod.

Sch. Cynthia, 90,000 haddock, 15,000 cod.

Sch. Louise C. Cabral, 10,000 haddock, 500 cod, 600 hake.

Haddock, \$1.50 to \$2 per cwt.; large cod, \$3.75 to \$4; market cod, \$2 to \$2.50; hake, \$2 to \$3; cusk, \$3; pollock, \$2; halibut, 20 cts. per lb.

March 12.

**COMING HERE TO SPLIT.****T Wharf Overstocked With Big Fresh Fish Fares.****Large Fleet on Georges and More Large Trips Expected.**

T wharf, Boston, is overstocked with fresh fish today and in consequence three vessels are on the way to this port, bringing their fares to the splitters.

There are several big fares at T wharf and what off shore haddock were taken out went for \$1.10 per hundred weight.

Among the craft there are sch. Moaniam, 100,000 pounds; Mary A. Whalen, 75,000; steamer Spray, 60,000; sch. Matchless, 60,000; Tartar, 106,000; Metamora, 90,000; Flora S. Nickerson, 90,000 and Slade Gorton, fare not reported.

Sch. Moaniam, Metamora and Slade Gorton are on the way down here with their whole fares and others may come later with part of theirs.

Capt. Wharton of sch. Yakima reports fishing in company with 35 sail of haddockers on Georges, so many more big fares are expected by Monday.

Sch. Ella M. Goodwin, Capt. James D. Goodwin, arrived at this port this morning, from Le Have bank, with the largest fresh trip of the winter, 120,000 pounds of fresh fish and 2000 pounds of halibut.

**GOOD STOCKS.****Crews of Two Haddocking Vessels Made Fine Trips.**

Sch. Cynthia, Capt. Geoffrey Thomas, stocked \$1700 on her recent haddock trip, the crew sharing \$37.

Sch. Yakima, Capt. Robert Wharton, stocked \$1300 on her recent haddock trip, the crew sharing \$32.

March 12.

**BLOCK ISLAND HANDLINING.****Prospect of Quite a Fleet Out There This Spring.**

There is every prospect of quite a large fleet of handliners on the Block Island grounds this spring, several of which will go from here, among them sch. Arrow, Capt. Silas B. Jewett.

The pollock seining fleet on the Maine coast will also be much larger than last season, and several small craft, both from here and the Maine coast will give this fishing a try.

**Halibut Sale.**

The fare of sch. Agnes sold to the New England Fish Co. at 10 cents per pound for white and 8 cents for gray.

March 12.

**DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.****Today's Arrivals and Receipts.**

Sch. Agnes, Gully, 20,000 lbs. halibut, 6000 lbs. fresh cod.

Sch. Ella M. Goodwin, Le Have bank, 120,000 lbs. fresh fish, 2000 lbs. halibut.

**Today's Fish Market.**

Bank halibut, 10 cts. per lb. for white and 8 cts. for gray.

Newfoundland frozen herring, for bait, \$2 to \$3 per hundred weight.

Splitting prices, large fresh cod, \$2 per cwt.; medium do., \$1.50; haddock, \$1.00; hake, 90 cts; cusk, \$1.50; pollock, 75 cts.

**Boston.**

Sch. N. A. Rowe, 3500 cod.

Sch. Mattakesett, 500 cod, 8000 hake, 3000 cusk.

Sch. Frances P. Mesquita, 5000 haddock, 2000 cod, 6000 hake, 2000 cusk.

Sch. Henrietta G. Martin, 4000 haddock, 1300 cod, 1000 pollock.

Sch. Matchless, 40,000 haddock, 20,000 cod.

Sch. Rose Dorothea, 15,000 haddock, 2000 cod.

Sch. Tartar, 90,000 haddock, 16,000 cod.

Sch. Mary C. Santos, 11,000 haddock, 2500 cod.

Sch. Metamora, 75,000 haddock, 15,000 cod.

Sch. Emily Sears, 4000 haddock.

Sch. Mertis H. Perry, 6000 haddock.

Sch. Mary E. Cooney, 12,000 haddock, 1000 cod.

Sch. Flora S. Nickerson, 65,000 haddock, 25,000 cod.

Sch. Seaconnet, 13,000 haddock, 1000 cod.

Sch. Blanche F. Irving, 1500 haddock, 3000 cod.

Sch. Viking, 9000 haddock, 1000 cod.

Sch. Walter P. Goulart, 11,000 haddock, 1000 cod.

Sch. Moaniam, 75,000 haddock, 25,000 cod.

Sch. Hockomock, 7000 haddock, 500 cod.

Sch. Klondike, 1900 cod.

Sch. Nettie, 3600 cod.

Sch. Cherokee, 2200 cod.

Steamer Spray, 54,000 haddock, 6000 cod.

Sch. Mary A. Whalen, 60,000 haddock, 15,000 cod.

Sch. Slade Gorton, fare not reported.

Haddock, \$1.10 to \$1.75 per cwt.; large cod, \$3; market cod, \$2.50; hake, \$1.50 to \$3.25; pollock, \$3.25; cusk, \$1.60.

**Fishing Fleet Movements.**

Sch. Aloha, which has discharged her cargo of frozen herring at New York, arrived home here this morning with a cargo of coal.

March 13.

**BIGGEST TRIP OF THE SEASON.****Sch. Effie M. Prior Arrives with 125,000 Pounds Fresh Fish.**

Sch. Effie M. Prior, Capt. Elroy Prior, arrived this forenoon with the largest trip of the season, having 125,000 pounds of fresh fish.

Sch. Slade Gorton, Capt. Burns Firth, came to this port from Boston yesterday afternoon with one of the largest fresh fish trips of the season, having 120,000 pounds, which went to the splitters.

Sch. Onate, Capt. Henry Larkin, which is reported at Boston today, has 105,000 pounds of fresh fish and sch. John Hays Hammond, Capt. Horace Wilde, is also there with 100,000 pounds.

March 13.

**WILL SAIL SOON.****Two Seiners Practically Ready To Go South for Mackerel.**

Schs. Monarch and A. M. Nicholson are nearly ready to sail south mackerel seining. The latter will sail on Monday, as will the Monarch, probably, although there is a chance of the latter sailing Saturday.

March 13.

**DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.****Today's Arrivals and Receipts.**

Sch. Mary F. Curtis, Le Have Bank, 90,000 lb. fresh fish.

Sch. Metamora, via Boston, 90,000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Moaniam, via Boston, 100,000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Effie M. Prior, Le Have Bank, 125,000 lbs. fresh fish.



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**Today's Fish Market.**

Bank halibut, 10 cts. per lb. for white and 8 cts. for gray.  
Newfoundland frozen herring, for bait, \$2 to \$3 per hundred weight.  
Splitting prices, large fresh cod, \$2 per cwt.; medium do., \$1.50; haddock, \$1.00; hake, 90 cts; cusk, \$1.50; pollock, 75 cts.

**Boston.**

Sch. Julietta, 5000 haddock, 1000 cod.  
Sch. Dixie, 1500 haddock, 1500 cod, 1000 cusk.  
Sch. Sadie M. Nunan, 7000 haddock, 2000 cod, 1000 hake.  
Sch. Margaret Dillon, 9000 haddock, 1500 cod, 1000 hake.  
Sch. Onato, 85,000 haddock, 20,000 cod.  
Sch. Edith Silveira, 9000 haddock, 1000 cod.  
Sch. Ida S. Brooks, 5000 haddock, 1000 cod.  
Sch. Rita A. Viator, 4000 haddock.  
Sch. John Hays Hammond, 85,000 haddock, 15,000 cod.  
Sch. Ida M. Silva, 5000 haddock, 1000 cod.  
Sch. Thistle, 1500 haddock, 1500 cod.  
Sch. Freedom, 5000 cod.  
Sch. Flora J. Sears, 4000 haddock, 1000 cod, 1500 hake.  
Sch. Teresa and Alice, 5000 haddock, 1000 cod.  
Sch. Esther Gray, 5000 haddock, 6500 cod.  
Sch. Conqueror, 58,000 haddock, 12,000 cod.  
Sch. Emily Enos, 4000 haddock, 3000 cod, 1000 hake.  
Haddock, \$1.10 to \$1.75; large cod, \$2.50 to \$3.25; market cod, \$1.50 to \$2.25; hake, \$1 to \$3; cusk, \$1.50; pollock, \$3.

**Fishing Fleet Movements.**

Capt. John S. Seavey of Boothbay Harbor, is here to fit sch. Squanto for seining.  
Capt. Freeman H. Brown is fitting sch. Maggie Smith for pollock seining on the Maine coast.  
Schs. Blanche and Oregon have finished taking out their frozen fares of herring at New York and sailed for home yesterday with cargoes of coal.

March 14.

**Work for the Can Opener.**

Within the last 10 months millions of salmon have been hatched and turned loose from the fish hatcheries of the State of Washington. Commissioner J. L. Reisland reports that the total number of salmon eggs actually taken and cultivated at the hatcheries since April 1, 1907, aggregates 58,598,357. He estimates by the close of the fiscal year March 31, 1908, that between 65,000,000 and 70,000,000 salmon eggs will have been taken and nurtured by the combined hatcheries in the state.

In addition to this 2,000,000 trout eggs were taken at the hatcheries, at Little Spokane and Lake Chelan, besides the importation of 500,000 speckled brook trout from the hatcheries of the east.

It is conservatively estimated by Reisland that 90 per cent. of the eggs are successfully hatched.

March 14.

**QUICK TRIPS.**

**Schs. Olga and Massachusetts Home With Good Halibut Fares.**

Sch. Olga, Capt. Albert Saulnberg, arrived yesterday afternoon from a Georges halibuting trip, after a short trip, with a good fare. This is Capt. Saulnberg's first trip as skipper. He has started in well and his many friends hope that he will keep it up.

Sch. Massachusetts, Capt. John J. Carroll, arrived this morning from a halibut trip to Quero Bank, having been gone but three weeks, with a fine fare, 25,000 pounds of halibut.

March 14.

**More Fares To Split.**

Three more big fresh fish fares arrived here yesterday afternoon for the splitters, sch. Mildred Robinson with 80,000 pounds, sch. Catherine Burke, 110,000 pounds, and sch. Lizzie M. Stanley, 100,000 pounds. This morning there are several more off shore fares in Boston and the market is very dull, which means still more fish for the splitters.

**Good Stock.**

Sch. Ella M. Goodwin, Capt. James D. Goodwin, stocked \$1700 as the result of her recent haddock trip, the crew sharing \$43.

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**Halibut Sales.**

The fare of sch. Massachusetts sold to the New England Fish Co. and that of sch. Olga to the American Halibut Co., each at 10 cts. per pound for white and 8 cents for gray.

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**Good Stock.**

Sch. Slade Gorton, Capt. Burns Firth, stocked \$1422 as the result of her recent haddocking trip.

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**DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.**

**Today's Arrivals and Receipts.**

Sch. Massachusetts, Quero Bank, 24,000 lbs. halibut, 1000 lbs. salt cod.  
Sch. Olga, Georges, 14,000 lbs. halibut, 4000 lbs. salt cod, 4000 lbs. fresh cod.

**Vessels Sailed.**

**Today's Fish Market.**

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Newfoundland frozen herring, for bait, \$2 to \$3 per hundred weight.  
Splitting prices, large fresh cod, \$2 per cwt.; medium do., \$1.50; haddock, \$1.00; hake, 90 cts; cusk, \$1.50; pollock, 75 cts.

**Boston.**

Sch. Flavilla 8000 haddock, 1000 cod, 4000 hake.  
Sch. Regina, 80,000 haddock, 20,000 cod.  
Sch. Mary Edith, 7000 haddock, 1000 cod.  
Sch. Bessie and Mary, 600 haddock, 600 cod.  
Sch. Florida, 15,000 cod.  
Sch. Marion, 1000 cod.  
Sch. Helen B. Thomas, 5000 haddock, 2000 cod, 1000 hake.  
Sch. Georgianna 70,000 haddock, 25,000 cod.  
Sch. Lucania, 45,000 haddock, 35,000 cod.  
Sch. Juniata, 9000 haddock, 1000 cod, 1000 hake.  
Sch. Harmony, 70,000 haddock, 15,000 cod.  
Sch. Benj. F. Phillips, 70,000 haddock, 16,000 cod.  
Sch. Seaconnet, 8000 haddock, 1000 cod.  
Sch. Nautilus, 4000 haddock.  
Sch. Beulah Maud, 700 cod.  
Sch. Emily Cooney, 14,000 haddock, 1000 cod, 1000 hake.  
Haddock, \$1.10 to \$1.80 per cwt.; large cod, \$3; market cod, \$1.75; hake, \$1.50 to \$3; cusk, \$1.50.

**Fishing Fleet Movements.**

Sch. Parthia will fit for Maine coast pollock seining under command of Capt. J. Melvin McClain.

March 16

**CORPORATION RETURNS.**

**Local Concerns Which Make Good Financial Showing for Past Year.**

American Halibut Co., David I. Robinson, treasurer. Capital stock, \$30,000. Assets, real estate, \$25,000, cash and debts receivable \$43,843, merchandise \$3211, shares \$700, total \$72,754; liabilities, capital stock \$30,000, accounts payable \$13,008, funded debt \$13,500, floating debt \$3500, surplus \$10,000, profit and loss \$2746, total \$72,754.

Tarr & Wonson Ltd, Addison P. Wonson, treasurer. Capital stock, \$120,000. Assets, real estate \$18,000, machinery \$2000, cash and debts receivable \$107,884, manufactures and merchandise \$19,502, treasury stock \$2500, total \$149,886; liabilities, capital stock \$120,000, surplus \$29,886, total \$149,886.

H. A. Rich Co., Boston. Herbert A. Rich, treasurer. Capital stock, \$30,000. Assets, T Wharf Herring Co. \$1200, machinery, scales, carts and fixtures \$715, cash and debts receivable \$31,061, manufactures and merchandise \$2453, stock of other corporations \$1600, good will \$15,000, total \$51,029; liabilities, capital stock \$30,000, accounts payable \$2746, floating debt, \$12,160, surplus \$6123, total \$51,029.

**SEAL SEASON OPENS.**

**Large Number of Heads Seen Off White Bay.**

The sealing season along the Newfoundland coast opened last Tuesday and the fleet sailed for the hunting grounds.

Reports from the points along the northeast coast state that large herds of seals have been sighted in the vicinity of the White Bay.

The animals are near the shore and it is expected that the vessels will make large catches as soon as they reach the scene.

The weather was stormy and extensive ice

March 16.

**HARD TO GET MEN.**

**Salt Bankers at Grand Bank, N. F., Find Fishermen Scarce.**

Banking masters at Grand Bank, N. F., and vicinity are finding it difficult to get men to go in the vessels, notwithstanding that high wages have been offered to them. Most of the young men prefer coming to Cape Breton in the summer to engage at mining, or going to the New England States to fish, claiming that they make more money and have better prospects than at home, and the number of fishermen who have lately been drowned in connection with the bankfishery has caused others to fight shy of it as far as possible.

March 16.

**GOOD TRIPS AT BOSTON.**

**Haddockers Have Struck Quite a Lot of Codfish on Georges.**

A dozen of the off shore haddockers are at T wharf, Boston, today, all with good fares, ranging from 55,000 to 120,000 pounds, sch. Belbina P. Domingoes, Capt. Domingoes, being the highliner. She with sch. Fannie Belle Atwood will probably come to this port to split their fare to the splitters.

The other off shore crafts there are schs. Muriel, Illinois, Dictator, Flirt, Alice M. Guthrie, Hope, Manhasset, Arbitrator, Gov. Russell and Robert and Arthur, and these will probably take out there, there being a fairly good demand for codfish which are bringing \$3 per hundred weight. Haddock are dull, bringing \$1.10.

March 16

**FOUND HERRING PLENTY.**

**Sch. Massachusetts Reports Great Rafts of Them Off Sable Island.**

Capt. John J. Carroll of sch. Massachusetts, which arrived this morning from a halibut trip to Quero, reports that off Sable island he fell in with great rafts of herring. Capt. Carroll says this is most unusual at this time of the year and that he never saw larger rafts of these fish than were off that island a few days ago.

March 16.

**HIGH LINE SHARE.**

**Crew of Knockabout Sch. Pontiac Have Made \$654 Each.**

The crew of sch. Pontiac, Capt. Enos Nickerson, one of the market fleet, have shared \$654 thus far this season. This is probably the high line share of the fleet.

March 16.

**DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.**

**Today's Arrivals and Receipts.**

Sch. Georgianna, via Boston, 10,000 lbs. fresh fish.

**Vessels Sailed.**

**Today's Fish Market.**

Bank halibut, 10 cts. per lb. for white and 8 cts. for gray.  
Newfoundland frozen herring, for bait, \$2 to \$3 per hundred weight.  
Splitting prices, large fresh cod, \$2 per cwt.; medium do., \$1.50; haddock, \$1.00; hake, 90 cts; cusk, \$1.50; pollock, 75 cts.

**Boston.**

Sch. Mary E. Cooney, 15,000 haddock, 1000 cod.  
Sch. Fannie Belle Atwood, 75,000 haddock, 15,000 cod.  
Sch. Sylvester, 9000 cod.  
Sch. Heckomock, 8000 haddock, 1000 cod, 500 hake.  
Sch. Ignatius Enos, 1600 cod.  
Sch. Laura Enos, 2000 cod.  
Sch. Eva Aviga, 2500 cod.  
Sch. Gracie E. Freeman, 4000 cod.  
Sloop Wodan, 3300 cod.  
Sch. Stranger, 5000 haddock, 1000 cod, 1000 hake.  
Sch. Alice M. Guthrie, 30,000 haddock, 40,000 cod.  
Sch. Louisa R. Sylva, 30,000 haddock, 2000 cod.  
Sch. Eddie A. Minot, 7000 cod.  
Sch. Emily Sears, 8000 cod.  
Sloop On Time, 5000 cod.  
Sch. Viking, 7000 haddock, 1000 cod.  
Sch. George H. Lube, 5000 haddock, 2000 cod, 8000 hake, 5000 cusk.  
Sch. Elva L. Spurling 14,000 haddock, 16,000 cod.